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IN RE APPLICATION OF:

ATTY DKT NO.: 51291.00081

LARREN F. JONES (deceased)

GROUP ART UNIT: 3671

SERIAL NO.: 10/812,348

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### RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS

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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the "Notice To File Missing Parts of Application" mailed June 9, 2004, and having a two month response period expiring August 9, 2004, and for which a three-month extension of time is being filed concurrently herewith, Applicant submits herewith (1) a copy of the Notice and (2) an executed Sole Declaration and Power of Attorney for the above-captioned application. We note that the inventor is deceased and that the declaration has been executed by the deceased's legal representative.

Please charge \$1,294.00 for the filing fee (\$790.00) including the late-filing surcharge (\$130.00), and additional claims fee (\$374.00) to our Deposit Account No. 19-0733. However, if the calculated fee is not correct, you are authorized to charge any additional fee or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 19-0733.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: November 9, 2004

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FEETRANSMITTAL	Application Number	10/812,348			
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Effective 10/01/2009 Patent fees are subject to annual revision.	First Named Inventor	Larren F. Jones			
	Examiner Name	tba			
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	002 175 Design filing fee	1402	340	2402	170	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
	003 275 Plant filing fee	1403	300	2403	150	Request for oral hearing	
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1005 160 2	005 80 Provisional filling fee	1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
'		1453	1,370	2453	685	Petition to revive – unintentional	
	SUBTOTAL (1) (\$) 790	1501	1,370	2501	685	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
2. EXTRA CLA	IM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE	1502	490	2502	245	Design issue fee	
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Total Claims 31	Extra Claims below Fee Paid	1460	130	1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
Independent		1807	50	1807	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17 (q)	
Claims 5	-3 ** = 2   X   88   =   176	1806	180	1806	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
Multiple Dependent	x = 0	8021	40	8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	40
Large Entity	Small Entity	1809	790	2809	395	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
Fee Fee Code (\$)	Fee Fee Fee Description	1810	790	2810	395	For each additional invention to be	
1202 18	2202 9 Claims in excess of 20					examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
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SUBMITTED BY Complete (if applicable)									
Name (Print/Type)	Steven P. Schad	Registration No. (Attorney/Agent)	32,550	Telephone	202 824-3000				
Signature	Storn Ash	1		Date	November 9, 2004				

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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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#### **Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:**

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
   Applicant must submit \$ 770 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is missing.

  A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

• Additional claim fees of \$370 as a non-small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

#### **SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$1270 for a Large Entity

- \$770 Statutory basic filing fee.
- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

• Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$370

- \$172 for 2 independent claims over 3.
- \$198 for 11 total claims over 20.

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